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AMENDMENT:

Applicant provides an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated September 26, 2006 to the above identified patent application, said amendment enclosed herewith.

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The application is amended as follows:

- Claims 1, 10, 23, 24, 36, 37, 39-41, 45, 54, 55 and 72 are amended: and
- Claims 35, 38, and 95-99 are cancelled.
- A listing of the claims begins on sheet #2 of this paper; remarks begin on sheet #22.